

Docket No.: 60188-127



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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

5/22/03

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In re Application of

Nobuyo SUGIYAMA, et al.

Serial No.: 10/003,434

Group Art Unit: 2826

Filed: December 06, 2001

Examiner: Kevin V. Quinto

For: NONVOLATILE SEMICONDUCTOR MEMORY DEVICE AND
MANUFACTURING METHOD THEREOF

AMENDMENT

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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 18, 2002, having a three-month shortened statutory period for response set to expire on March 18, 2003, and the petition for a two-month extension of time up to and including May 18, 2003 being filed concurrently herewith, reconsideration of the above-identified application is respectfully requested in view of the following amendment and remarks.

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IN THE TITLE

Please replace the existing title with the following new title:

--Nonvolatile Semiconductor Memory Device Which Can Operate at High Speed With Low Voltage, and Manufacturing Method Thereof--.

It is therefore respectfully requested that the objection to the title be withdrawn.

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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

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No additional fee is required.

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Applicant is entitled to small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27

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Also attached: Petition for Extension of Time

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

	NO. OF CLAIMS	HIGHEST PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	FEE
Total Claims	18	20	0	\$18.00 =	\$0.00
Independent Claims	5	3	2	\$84.00 =	\$168.00
Multiple claims newly presented					\$0.00
Fee for extension of time					\$410.00
Total of Above Calculations					\$578.00

☒ Please charge my Deposit Account No. 500417 in the amount of \$578.00. An additional copy of this transmittal sheet is submitted herewith.

☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 500417, including any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for presentation of extra claims and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

Respectfully submitted,

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